Ile finde a time to match you for this geare. *Exit.*

Iohn. Stay *Philip*, let him goe, the honour's thine.

Baſt. I cannot liue vnleſſe his life bee mine.

Q. Elia. Thy forwardnes this day hath ioy'd my ſoule
And made me thinke my *Richard* liues in thee.

K. *Phil.* Lordings let's in, and ſpend the wedding day
In maskes and triumphes, letting quarrels ceaſe:

Enter a Cardinall from Rome.

Car. Stay King of France, I charge thee ioyn not hands
With him that ſtands accurſt of God and men.

Know *Iohn*, that I *Pandulph* Cardinall of Millaine, and Legate of the Sea of Rome, demand of thee in the name of our holy Father the Pope *Innocent*, why thou do'ſt (contrary to the lawes of our holy Mother the Church, and our holy Eather the Pope, diſturbe the quiet of the Church, and diſanull the election of *Stephen Langhton*, whom his Holineſſe hath elected Arch-biſhop of Canterbury: this in his Holineſſe name I demand of thee?

Ioh. And what haſt thou or the Pope thy maſter to do to demaud of me how I imploy mine owne? Know ſir Prieſt, as I honour the Church and holy Churchmen, ſo I ſcorne to be ſubiect to the greateſt Prelate in the world. Tell thy maſter ſo from me, and ſay, *Iohn* of England ſaid it, that neuer an Italian Prieſt of them al, ſhal either haue tythe, tole, or Polling peny out of England; but as I am King, ſo will I raigne next vnder God, ſupreame head both ouer ſpiritual and temporall: and he that contradicts me in this, Ile make him hop headleſſe.

K. Phil. What K. *Iohn*, know you what you ſay, thus to blaſpheme againſt our holy father the Pope?

Ioh. Philip, though thou and all the Princes of Chriſtendome ſuffer themſelues to bee abus'd by a Prelates flauery, my minde is not of ſuch baſe temper. If the Pope will bee King of England, let him win it with the ſword, I know no other title he can alleadge to mine inheritance.

Card. Iohn, this is thine anſwer?

Iohn.

Iohn. What then?

Card. Then I *Pandulph* of *Padua*, Legate fr
poſtolike Sea, doe in the name of Saint *Peter* a
ceſſor our holy Father Pope *Innocent*, pronoun
curſed, diſcharging euery of thy ſubiects of al
fealtie that they doe owe to thee, and pardon a
neſſe of ſinne to thoſe or them whatſoeuer, whic
ry armes againſt thee, or murder thee: This I p
and charge all good men to abhorre thee as an
nicate perſon.

Ioh. So ſir, the more the Foxe is curs'd the bet
if God bleſſe me and my Land, let the Pope and
lings curſe and ſpare not.

Card. Furthermore, I charge thee *Philip* K. of
all the Kings and Princes of Chriſtendome, to n
vpon this miſcreant: and whereas thou haſt ma
with him, and confirmed it by oath, I doe in t
our foreſaid father the Pope, acquit thee of tha
vnlawfull, being made with an Hereticke; how
Philip, do'ſt thou obey?

Ioh. Brother of France, what ſay you to the

Phil. I ſay, I am ſorry for your Maieſtie, requ
to ſubmit your ſelfe to the Church of Rome.

Ioh. And what ſay you to our league, if I do n

Phil. What ſhould I ſay? I muſt obey the Po

Ioh. Obey the Pope, and breake your oath t

Phil. The Legate hath abſolu'd me of mine o
Then yeeld to Rome, or I defie thee here.

Ioh. Why *Philip*, I defie the Pope and thee,
Falſe as thou art, and periur'd King of France,
Vnworthy man to be accounted King.
Giu'ſt thou thy ſword into a Prelates hands:
Pandulph, where I of Abbots Monkes, and Frier
Haue taken ſomewhat to maintaine my warrs,
Now will I take no more but all they haue.
Ile rouze the lazie lubbers from their cels,
And in deſpight ile ſend them to the Pope.